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For: System and Method for Utilizing Shape

ANALYSIS TO ASSESS FETAL ABNORMALITY

Mail Stop AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Office action mailed on December 20, 2005 ("Office action"), the period for response having been extended by one month to April 20, 2006 by payment of the requisite small entity extension fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the application in light of the following amendments and remarks:

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